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Director, National Intelligence Systems
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FROM: [redacted]
Director, Intelligence Community Staff

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SUBJECT: Request for Intelligence Community Support for
NWMP-II Activities

1. Your request for an Intelligence Community assessment of Soviet capabilities and methods has been forwarded to Dr. Larry Gershwin, the National Intelligence Officer for Strategic Programs, for his consideration. Unfortunately, due to the pressure of preparing to present two major NIEs to the NFIB on 15 February and to appear before a Congressional committee during the same week, Dr. Gershwin has advised us that he will be unable to properly address your request until the week of 22 February at the earliest. [redacted]

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2. Dr. Gershwin did note, however, that one of the two estimates to be presented to the NFIB is NIE 11-3/8-83, which addresses many of the issues that you have raised. A copy of the final draft of the estimate has been forwarded to Don Latham. He or his representative for the estimate, [redacted] should be able to assist you in determining the extent to which this estimate will answer the questions raised by your Working Group concerning Soviet capabilities and methods. [redacted]

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3. The Intelligence Community Staff member of your Working Group, [redacted] will continue to coordinate with Dr. Gershwin, and will provide the necessary estimative information to you as soon as possible.

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